Marker at Old Boat Landing in Rockport,



Where Lincoln Left on His First Flat Boat Trip to New Orleans

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Abraham Lincoln had his first flat boat trip to New Orleans in 1828, when he went as oarsman on Allen Gentry's flatboat. The picture shows the large granite marker, at the old boat landing on the Ohio River at Rockport, Indiana, where the two young men left on their memorable trip.

The marker was erected by the Spencer County Historical Society.

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